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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: HIGH-SPEED/HIGH-  
RELIABILITY ETHER  
TRANSMISSION SYSTEM AND  
I/F APPARATUS  
Appl. No.: 09/709,634  
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Examiner: J. Dinh  
Art Unit: 2663

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated March 3, 2004, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Please amend the application as follows:

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- ☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

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EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$110.00	\$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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